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Dear Sir:

The undersigned hereby states that the content of the attached papers and the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, previously submitted in U.S. application **08/853,524**, filed **9 May 1997**, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same.

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Respectfully submitted,

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